

TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 12, 1904.

TWENTY PROMINENT citizens of New Haven, Conn., headed by Professor Woolsey, professor of international law at Yale University, have signed and forwarded to Senator Hoar a petition asking that the Senate defer formal ratification of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty and that this government's action in Panama be subjected to careful and deliberate investigation. After declaring that there is a recognized body of law which ought to govern the conduct of nations irrespective of their strength, the petition says that a belief has arisen in the minds of many in this country and abroad "that in our dealings with the State of Colombia we have violated and are about to violate the rules of international law and that we are adopting a line of conduct toward that country which we would not have taken against a stronger power." The petition further says that the fact of Colombia's comparative weakness should make us the more careful to avoid the suspicion that we are making an unjust use of our greater power; that the mere existence of such a condition is injurious to our honor and self-respect, and concludes :

We therefore respectfully ask that before final ratification of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty our action in Panama be carefully and deliberately investigated to the end, not only that the republic may do no wrong, but that its good reputation in the world, which is dearer than any gain of lands or trade, should suffer no loss.

The above is a clear, logical and honest presentation of what should be equitable dealings between the United States and a sister republic.

MAIL advices to the War Department received yesterday contain sensational details of the "battle" with the Moros, with which Gen. Leonard Wood inaugurated his reign over Mindango and Sala At the time of the fighting the great number of Moros killed, some 300 or more in one skirmish, seemed inexplicaable, but it now develops that among the dead were many women and children who went into battle, if it may so be termed, armed only with knives. The men, according to these same dispatches. had a variety of firearms, including a lot of Chinese guns. Following the battle of November 15 there were several skirmishes, in which the Moros naturally suffered extensively, though the Americans sustained but few casualties. Then came a tour of devastation, the country being scoured and the natives' stores destroyed wherever found. The poor Fillipmos have the sympathy of all nations save the United States and at the rate they are now being decimated by American soldiers there will be but few left to be "benevolently assimilated." But Gen. Wood wants to command the army and he had to make war even if was on women and children,

AMONG ARMY men and persons connected with the government keen interest is manifested in the statement made before the Senate committee on military affairs that General Leonard Wood wa not at the battle of San Juan; that President Roosevelt knows that General Wood was not there, and that the President requested General Wilson to keep to himself whatever information on the subject he possessed. This is one of the most sensational portions of the printed testimony taken before the Senate committee on military affairs in relation to the charges preferred against General cilman-J. M. King-was pronounced Wood by Esfes G. Rathbone, with a guilty. He is now in jail. view to ascertaining the propriety of reporting in favor of confirming Wood's from corporations. nomination as major general. General Wilson testified that he corrected Mr. Roosevelt when the latter told him that Wood was in the battle of San Juan.

JUSTICE HARLAN, of the U. S. Supreme Court, in a lecture recently delivered before the law students of Columbia University, used the following remarkable warning language in referring to the Federal Constitution: "Let us hope that this great instrument, by her husband and five small children.
Edgar Allen, a former well-known which has served so well, will weather the storms which the ambitions of certain men are creating in an effort to make this country a "World Power." The venerable jurist, well says the Philadelphia Record, gave expression to an aspiration and a solicitude that fill the minds of thousands of patriotic citizens. The Constitution was framed with a a view to the guidance of a nation intent on minding its own business. It cannot well be stretched to make it cover the new undertakings in remote parts of the world among alien races upon which "certain men" have defiantly ventured.

BECAUSE OF an insufficient appropriation by Congress, the public night schools of the District of Columbia will have to close early in February this year, instead of continuing until May or June. McDougall put the loads back in the This announcement has been made by Superintendent Stuart. The condition was the same last year, the schools being they may run fifty nights, but no longer. released from custody.

The same condition of affairs, so far as insufficient money is concerned, exists throughout the country and the question of raising adequate sums of money to provide for the education of all who apply is becoming a serious one. In nearly every city in the country pupils are awaiting admission to the schools and in some of them the number runs up

### FROM WASHINGTON.

into the tens of thousands.

orrespondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] It is expected that a tote on the conention site and date will be reached between 7 and 8 o'clock this evening, so hat it will not be necessary for the committee to meet again tomorrow. The programme for the meeting, beginning at noon today, is first the hearing of con-tests, the principal one of which is that District of Columbia, after which the committee will listen to arguments and offers in behalf of the various ities that want the convention; following this the committee will go into exec utive session and immediately begin the

The tariff on Canadian coal, which vas removed last winter, for a year, because of the high price of anthracite coal, will be restored next Saturday. Imortant American coal interests were in favor of continuing the exemption be-ause they believed it would lead Canada o reciprocate by placing American coal The H use ways and cans committee, however has decided restore the duty on Canadian coal. f that were not done, the members feel would cause a serious weakening of the American protective tariff policy, which,

of course, they oppose.

Minister Conger cables the State
Department that the Chinese throne has Department that the Chinese throne has ratified the commericial treaty with this country and has mailed an exchange copy to Washington.

William Jennings Bryan was at the House today and held a reception on the democratic side of the chamber. He also

appeared before the House Foreign Affairs Committee and addressed the mempers on the necessity for the possession by the Government of permanent lega-

tion buildings in foreign capitals.

Mr. Rixey has introduced a bill in the
House for the relief of William I. Grady and one granting an increase of pension to John Johnson, also a paper to accompany bill for the relief of Samuel D. Fisher, and a paper to accompany bill granting an increase of pen-

pany bill granting an increase of persion to Martha A. Harper.

The report of the Senate subcommittee on territories which visited Alaska last year was presented to the Senate today by Senator Beveridge. Radical changes in the mining laws intended to correct many of the abuses now in practice there are made. The subject of transportation is discussed at length, the committee holding that Alaska's great need is good roads, and it strongly urges the immediate construction of a wagon road from Valdez on the Pacific to Earlo City on the Yakon, a distance of about 400 miles. The cost is estimated at not over \$5,000 a mile. The committee is averse to the establishment of a territorial legislature but believes that the district should be represented by a delegate in Congress.

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Col. Edwards, chief of the bureau of insular affinies, has abulated the bids for the Philippine bonds to purchase the friar's lands. His results show that the bid of Harvey Fiske and Company, of New York, nets 57,590,390 against \$7,494,542.20 made up of the highest partial bids. The award to this firm will probably be made this afternoon.

Mr. Bacon introduced in the Senate today a resolution informing the President that the Senate favors and advises the negotiation of a treaty with Columbia, looking to the peaceful adjustment or the differences between Panana and Colombia, and that Colombia be compensated for the loss of sovereignty and territroy. It further provides for a reference to The Hague, if such treaty cannot be negotiated. The case of Prince "Cupid," the Hawaiian delegate to Congress, charged with disorderly conduct, was notle prossed in the police court before Judge Kimball this morning. Several lays ago the prince got into an altereation in a down town cafe. He was arrested and spent the night at the police station. The case was tropped on the earnest solicitation of his friends.

## COUNCILMEN SCORED

In the report presented in Richmond ast night by the committee which has for months been investigating municipal orruption the methods of the Southern Bell Telephone and the Passenger and Power companies in obtaining charters from the city are described as "just short

The Bell Company gave suppers and ree trips; the Passenger and Power Comoany scattered stock and money. Both uployed political workers. This practice is so strongly cendemned by the committee that it asks for the passage if a law imposing a fine of from \$100 to \$500 upon anyone securing or paying money for work of this kind.

Two councilmen-Morgan R. Mills and John T. West-are censured for asking loans of the Passenger and Power Company, which is alleged to have distributed \$240,000 in stock and \$70,000 in money in Richmond. Only one coun-

The report concludes by urging councilmen not to accept favors in future

## DEATHS IN VIRGINIA

Charles Lamar, son of H. M. Lamar, of Portsmouth, died at his desk in school yesterday. He fainted while studying and never railled, although medical aid was promptly had.

Mrs. Smith, wife of Rev. W. D. Smith, rector of St. Georg c's Episcopal Church, Fredericksburg, died suddenly at her home there yesterday afterno after a brief illness. She was a Miss Powers, of Richmond, and is survived She was a Miss

resident of Clarke county, died yesterday at his home near Rippon, Jefferson county, W. Va., aged seventy-eight years. He was the owner of Clifton, a colonial country home. Mr. Allen was a bachelor, and had large connections in Virginia.

Geo. W. Littrell died at the home of his son-in-law in Stafford, near Berea church, yesterday, in the 72d year of his age. He was a gallant Confederate soldier and a member of the 55th Virginia Regiment.

INEZ HADEN RELEASED. The coroner's jury in Richmond yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of acccidental shooting in the case of James McDougall, the young man who was fatally shot early Sunday morning by Inez Haden, the woman, and that in her abscence pistol, and when she returned he play-fully, said "Shoot me." She pulled the trigger, ignorant that the weapon was open only forty-eight nights. This year McDougall's brain. The woman was Russo-Japanese agreement concerning

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

A cripple in Springfield, Mass., has escaped from jail after unlocking nine doors, sawing three chains and scaling an eighteen-foot well.

The Senate, in executive session yes terday ratified an extension of the extradition treaty between the United States and the Netherlands.

The Milwaukee grand jury yester-day brought in another batch of indictments charging city officials and former officials with accepting bribes.

Bids were opened at the War Depart ment yesterday for the Philippine friar land bonds. The bid of Harvey, Fiske & Son, of New York, for 107.587 will, it is believed, be accepted.

Mrs. Jack Gardner, of Boston, was re quired to pay \$200,000 duties on works of art she had imported into this country because she did not exhibit them free to the public, as she had declared she

Nearly all the ministers of the foreign powers have been withdrawn from Belgrade because of King Peters's failure to take means of redress for the as-sassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

A dispatch from Aden, 'Arabia, says that an engagement in Somaliland be-tween a British force and the forces of the Mad Mullah has resulted in a severe defeat of the latter, who lost 1,000 killed. The British had 11 killed and 32

The Senate yesterday, in executive session, confirmed the following nomina-tions: Wm. H. Taft, of Ohio, secretary of war; Luke E. Wright, of Tennessee, civil governor of the Philippine Islands Henry C. Ide, of Vermont, vice governor of the Philippine Islands.

Perry S. Heath, secretary of the re publican committee and formerly first assistant postmaster general, reached Washington yesterday evening from Salt Lake City, and will report in Justice Pritchard's court today as a witness for the government in the Machen-Lorenz-Groff postoffice case.

At a meeting of the Central Labor Union in Washington last night about 400 men were suspended from the union The organizations affected are the Journeymen Plumbers and Gas Fitters, No. 5, with 250 men; the Interior Marble Workers, with 75 men, and the Interior Marble Workers' Helpers, No. 33, with 75 members Suspension was inflicted upon the total membership of organizations upon the com-Trades that they had gone back to work on Jobs declared "struck" by the council. plaint of the Allied Council of Building

#### AFFAIRS IN THE EAST.

The London Times' Peking correspon dent, cabling under Sunday's date, says that the Chinese Minister at Tokio, at the request of the Japanese foreign office. telegraphed the following communication to Prince Ching: "The second Russiau reply to the Japanese proposals has been received at Tokio, but it is unfavorable and cannot be accepted by Japan, who will, unless Russia recedes, be compelled to promptly resort to arms. In view of such an eventuality Japan urges and expects China to maintain the strictest neutrality, to preserve order throughout the empire, to guard foreigners resident in the interior, and to take special care to preserve order in the provinces of Shangtung and Yunnan, est foreign powers might seize the pretext of disorder and make aggressive movements therein."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger gives a much more serious view of the far Eastern situation than has hitherto emanated from that capital. The correspondent claims he has authentic information that those in official circles entertain a greater concern over the difficulties between Russia and Japan than they have heretofore allowed to become known to the public, and he says that he expects that the utterances of the press have been optimistically colored in order to conceal this official disquiet. A communication will shortly be published which will show that Russia has made

the following propositions: First. Japan will get various concessions in Korea.

Second. In South Korea the Japanese can act not only in their economic inter ests, but they can adopt strategic measres corresponding with these interests.
Third. Russia allows Japan full com-

mercial freedom of action in North Korea, but Japan must not permanently occupy fortified towns, either to the north or south, and neither on the coast,

nor in the interior.

Fourth. A neutral zone of fifty kilometers broad is to be created between Korea and Manchuria along the Yalu and Tumen rivers, in which neither Russia nor Japan can establish fortified positions, also that the strait between Japan and Korea shall be neutral, thus giving free ingress and egress to

Russian vessels.
Fifth. In reference to Manchuria Russia accepts no conditions, but declares that she is ready to permit Japan and . her powers to represent their in-terests, embracing the "open door" for

Mukden and New Chwang.

The Russian government has informed the powers that it will respect fully the rights any nation has in Manchuria uner treaty with China. This declaration is made without reservation. Russia gives formal expression to this policy now in consequence of the controversy with Japan, one of whose persistent contentions has been for a definition of Russia's policy in Manchuria, and an acknowledgment of Japan's trade privileges. Russia's reply has been, in sub-

stan ce, as follows:
"We cannot discuss Manchuria with you any more than we could Australia or the Phillippines. Manchuria belongs neither to us, nor to you. It does not lie within the jurisdiction of either of firm of Keller, Loomis & Co., theselling us to dispose of the future of Man- agents of the publishing house of Gebbie

churia.' Russia, however, is willing to observe action, Mrs. Sanderson having purchasthe treaty rights of all the powers in ed the works through the medium of the Manchuria, and now engages to do so. selling agents. According to the bill Russia, it is added, thus removes from of complaint, Mrs. Sanderson entered inthe negotiations one of the points upon which Japan counted for the moral support of other powers and whereon she establishment of the Writings of Theodore

States and Great Britain.

Advices from Seoul state that the Japanese Minister has made reiterated demands, hitherto without result, on the that the books have been printed from Emperor of Korea that he recognize a Japanese protectorate of Korea, the ded, and the ball went crashing into Korean government holding itself to the

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

John M. Kauffman, a retired cancer physician, died suddenly in Winchester yesterday, aged 70 years.

C. Ross Barr died in Winchester Saturday, of dropsy, aged 50 years. He was a well-known horse dealer.

A number of persons in Richmond were recently made sick by eating salad with mayonnaise dressing that had stood in a tin bucket.

William Chamblin, son of Mr. A. B. Chamblin, of Bloomfield, Loudoun county, died on Sunday night, after a short lness from pneumonia.

The residence on the farm of Mr. George Waite, in Culpeper county, was destroyed by fire a few nights ago and the tenant, J. A. Johnson, lost all of his

Division Freight Agent John R. Mac Mordo, of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, died yesterday in Ashland. He was 68 years old and had spent half his life in railroading.

The Crismond case was resumed at Spottsylvania Courthouse yesterday, with E. H. Dejarnette, jr., as prosecuting attorney, in place of R. L. Gordon. As there are eight indictments the case will occupy some days.

Mrs. Jennie E. Scott, whose 4-yearold son was drowned at Newport News ast July, was given a verdlet for \$5,000 damages in the Corporation Court. The child was drowned in a hole after yesterlay heavy rain.

Colored men armed with clubs and tones surrounded a car which had cut off the arm of Maria Shafter, a small colored girl, and threatened the lives of the crew in Richmond yesterday. Passengers drove them away with pistols, and later Motorman J. W. Davis was arrested and held in \$500 bail pending the esult of the girl's injuries.

Chief of Police B. F. Howard was held guiltless by the Police Commissioners in Richmond last night of charges brought by the secretary of the Anti-saloon League of not aiding in convicting those selling liquors on Sunday. A resolution was adopted dividing the city into two police districts. There are now three. An inspector of police was created.

Brilliant, genial "Jack" Pleasants, the hero of Amelie Rives' famous book "The Quick or the Dead," died in Richmond a day or two ago, of pneumonia. He was the cousin of the authoress, who is now the Princess Troubetzkoy. By his fine figure and handsome face he appealed to her imagination as the one to play the leading role in her first book. During the boom days in Virginia he was private secretary to Gen. Fitzhugh

Hunter Chennewith, 35 years of age of Arden, W. Va., was accidentally shot and probably fatally wounded while out gunning near Hopewell, Frederick county, yesterday. He was on a visit to his brother-in-law, John Kinney. With Wesley Kinney he had scared up a rabbit, and in getting over a fence the hammer of the gun became caught. Both baraels were discharged only one load of shot, however, taking effect in Chennewith's lungs.

Noah and William White, eight months and six years, respective-ly, were burned to death in their home, near Parksley, yesterday afternoon. A The children had been left alone by their parents, who had gone to work, and during their absence the house caught fire with the above result. The mother returned in time to save Lewis, the only one of the children to escape.

## THE LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

In the Senate yesterday the Anderson annexation bill, which Mr. Cogbill undertook to talk to death, was the first measure up. Mr. Cogbill was ready for

The corporation bill relating to public service corporations came up for dis-cussion with 90, amendments suggested by the committee, and the entire day vas spent in their consideration.

The Keezel-Barksdale bill, intended to broaden the original Barksdale pure elections bill, was passed by and thus ended for this session

The Senate passed the bill to regulate public service corporations, and also the bill making the crime of kidnapping punishable by death.

HOUSE.

The House did not take seriously a resolution to instruct the Virginia senators to vote for the Panama treaty. Leake offered it, and it was sent to the committee on federal relations.

A resolution to instruct the Virginia representatives in Congress to vote for the Brownlow bill, appropriating \$24-000,000 for public roads in the States, created a lively discussion and was adopted after being amended so as to leave it to the discretion of the repre-

A conference committee was announce ed on the eminent domain bill. Messrs. Mann, McIlwaine and Walker were appointed by the Senate and Messrs. Duke, Cumming and Read by the House.

The Cumming bill, amending the law regarding cumbering the property of infants, was defeated by a refusal to diseharge the committee from its considera-

FRAUD CHARGED .- That the "Au-

thors" Edition of the Works of Theo-

dore Roosevelt," bearing the autograph signature of the author, limited to twenty-six sets, and for which she paid the price of \$150 per volume, or \$3,300 for the twenty-two books, proved fraudulent, is the complaint of Mrs. Eliza Sanderson, filed Saturday in the United & Co., are made party defendants to the The testimony was that they were both playing with an empty pistol belonging States and Great Britain.

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## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

From Richmond.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.] Riehmond, Jan. 12.-The two houses today agreed to a conference committee report on the bill relating to the right of eminent domain, and the public service corporation bill was referred to a conference and will be agreed to this afternoon. Both bodies will old afternoon sessions. A caucus will be held tonight. There were no contests over the House and Senate officers. The conference ommittee on the corporation bill will strike out the Duke amendment requiring physical connection between telephone lines.

#### War Averted?

Paris, Jan. 12 -A dispatch from St. Petersburg states that it is reported in diplomatic circles that Japan has accepted the last Russian counter-proposal. This decision, the dispatch says, was arrived at after lengthy conferences between Count Lamsdorff, Russian Foreign Minister, and M. Kurino, the Japanese Minister at St. Petersburg.
Paris, Jan. 12.—The Foreign Office

persist in its belief that peace will be maintained in the far East. The officials today say that reassuring news has been received today indicating that war has been definitely averted.

London, Jan. 12.-The Embassy here is unable to publish the text of the Russian reply to Japan's demands, as it has sian reply to Japan's demands, as it has been enjoined to maintain strict secrecy in the matter for the present. Mean-while the situation is regarded in Japan-ese circles as increasingly critical, if not absolutely grave.

#### Machen's Trial.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12 .- With eleven members of the criminal term oanel of 26 jurymen in the box, still sub ject to challenge, the second day of the Machen-Groff-Lorenz trial opened this morning in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. A new panel of sixty was present so that the selection of a jury continued without interruption. Machen sat beside Charles A. Douglas, his principal lawyer, and scrutinized the face of each talesman called. Mrs. Lorenz sat beside her husband. Samuel A. and Diller B. Groff, the other defendents, sat to the rear and displayed little interest.

This morning's session opened at 10:10 o'clock. Perry Heath entered the court room. He bowed to a dozen or more witnesses with whom he was close y associated in the Postoffice Department. No sign of recognition was exchanged between Machen and Heath.

The first several talesman called were excused for various reasons. Some of them were employed by concerns which had held contracts with Machen's divi-

After about an hour the selection of the jury was completed and the 12 men were sworn in. The court overruled a motion made by

the defense to elect on which count of the indictment the case should be tried. Mr. Douglas, for the defense, the moved that the witnesses be segregated. This the court did, but on protest from District Attorney Beach, Postoffice Inspectors Mayer and Gregor were allowed to remain in the court room to assist counsel for the government. Mr. Beach then made the opening statement of the case. A recess was then taken.

At the opening of the alternoon ses-tion, Mr. Conrad introduced Charles J. Bonaparte, his associate as special coun-sel for the government. The first witness was John M. Masten, assistant superintendent of Railway Mail Service.

Democratic National Committee. Washington, D. C. Jan. 12 .- The lobby of the Shoreham Hotel is all abuzz with democratic politics. The boomers of the candidates and cities are there in force, together with the members of the democratic national committee. The Chicago boomers claim at least two thirds of the votes on the first ballot. The St. Louis advocates assert that they will poll a bigger vote than is ex-pected. The New York men say they another long siege, but the bill was passed by and virtually killed for this not the least of which is a check for \$100,000, that, it is rumored, was yes terday handed to the chairman of the committee. Candidate talk is still confined mainly to Gorman and Parker Boomers for Hearst, Miles, Murshall Field, Olney and Judge Gray are still in their swaddling clothes. Now and then some man in the crowd ventures to say a few words of praise for Bryan or

Cleveland. When the democratic national com mittee recessed at 1:30 this afternoon, the general impression was that Chicago would get the convention. The committee went into executive session immediately after being called to order at noon by Chairman Jones for the purpose of considering the contest for mem pership from the district of Columbia After a lengthy discussion matter was referred back to the District committee, Adjournment was then taken to 3 o'clock. When the committee met at noon the majority of the wisaecres conceeded that Chicago would get the convention.

# Woman Horsewhipped,

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 12.—Syibl Kelley, former wife of Wells Kelley, who a few months ago was shot while prowling around a house in a Maine town, was last night publicly horse-whipped on East Merrimac street, by Mrs. Charles A. Caverly, as a result of which Mrs. Kelley is now on the verge of nervous prostration. Mrs. Caverly in an interview stated that her husband, who is a second hand in the Merrimac Mills, has been neglecting her and her children, and has been spending a great deal of time with the Kelley woman. Last Christmas eve, she says, Caverly went to the home of Mrs. Kelley with an arm full of bundles but did not bring even a stick of candy home to his children. Mrs. Kelley states that the matter will be carried to court, but thus far there have been no arrests.

## Clergyman and Son Killed.

Ardmore, I. T., Jan. 12. -A clergyman of the name of Moss and his son were shot and killed near Elmore, yeserday by Alfred Turner, a stockman. The killing, it is alleged, was the result of a misunderstanding over a lease of a stock field. Turner alleges that young Moss attempted to kill him when he shot, accidentally killing the elder Moss. federal authorities.

Ex-Governor Bushnell, of Ohio, suffored a second stroke of paralysis at 9 appears only on the front page, and that o'clock. His condition is critical and N. Y, yesterday evening. Twenty per-8725 each would be a fair price for the members of his family are at his bedside sons were injured, three fatally and three at Columbus.

#### Charged with Murder.

New York, Jan. 12.—Charles Austin, a negro butler, employed by Mrs. Lottie Cobbs, of No. 87 Madison avenue, this city, was held without bail by Magistrate Breen, in Centre street police court today, on a charge of murder. He was arrested while serving dinner last night at Mrs. Cobb's residence. He is wanted for the killing of another negro at Lewis ville, N. C., on March 13, 1902.

#### New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 12.-In the indus trial group this morning Amalgamated Copper contined to fluctuate feverishly. It rallied ‡ per cent, however, and finally settled down close to the top price. The movements elsewhere in the industrials were without special feature. Business became light after the first hour or so, and traders were loath to make important commitments pending the uncertainties in connection with the foreign political situation. The market is without selling pressure, however, but the larger interests appear willing to see the short interest increased.

#### FOREIGN NEWS

A dispatch from London announces the death of Rev. Latimer Neville, Lord Braybrooke, Master of Magdalene College, Cambridge.

At the opening of the French Parliament today, M. Brisson, the government candidate, was elected President of the Chambers by a majority of two.

Despite denials the Pryssische Correspondenz of Berlin today reasserts that the recall of Charlemagne Tower, American Ambassador to Germany, is

Princess Mathilde, the neice of Napoleon Bonaparte, is likely to result in a revival of the Bonapartists' efforts to regain the throne of France.

The Vienna Neuie Frie Presse today reports that the Czarina of Russia, who has been reported ill with influenza, is worse, and that her condition is causing

her family much alarm. It is stated that M. Sarafoff, the Mace donian leader who is at present in Rome, donian leader who is at present a Rone, has prepared a list of bishops of Mace-donia who are ready to abandon the Russian church and join the Roman Catholic, if advantage should result to their country from such an action.

A dispatch from Belgrade says it has been decided that the three adjutants of the late King Alexander, Antitch, Ristich, Kostich, and all the regicides with the exception of one, will retire from the army. This regicide who will remain is Lieutenant Colone! Poppovitch. He will retain his title of Adjutant Gen-

The executive committee of the Central European Commercial League organization in Berlin includes some of royal blood. The league has been formed to fight the American commercial invasion. It is intended to be far reaching in its scope, its membership including commercial representatives of many European countries.

The Berlin Tageblatt reports that 10, 000 workmen rebelled at Kaminkoje, near Yekatineroslaff, Russia, a few day ago, and started a reign of anarchy. The men stormed and demolishad an immense machinery works, plundering the houses of the wealthy residents of the place, and devastated a great deal of property. Troops have been sent to the place to suppress the trouble.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The use of coffee and tea as beverages hss been put under the ban by the Morman church. The body of the late General John B. Gordon which laid in state at Miami for

two days under guard of the Florida state troops, left there this morning. In a series of collisions on surface and elevated lines in Chicago, more than

Jackson's inangural address at the Chicago Board of Trade's annual meet-

ing yesterday. Former Congressman E. H. Driggs who was convicted last week in Brooklyn, for connection with the postal frauds, was up for sentence today. Judge Thomas sentenced Driggs to serve one day in prison, and to pay a fine of \$10,000.

General Rafael Reyes, the special enngton for some weeks past endeavorng to obtain from the United States recognition of Colombia's sovereign rights over Panama, has arrived in New York on his way home. As has previously been stated, his mission was a failure.

KICKED NEW YEAR OUT IN \$50 Gowns.—The sound of revelry echoed loud in the kitchen of Dr. Arthur S. Cheney's house in New Haven, Conn., on New Year's night. Mrs. Cheney iptoed down to the kitchen. Lydis Ginter, Mrs. Cheney's maid, sat on the table and close to her sat a young man of Yale University. Lydia wore a gown, for which Mrs. Cheney paid \$50, and she and "Jack" were pledging each other in some old brandy which Dr. Cheney prizes highly. In the centre of the room stood a scientific student. He was holding up his hat at arm's length. Anna Benchalter, Mrs. Cheney's laun-dress, was trying to kick in the crown of the hat. She also wore a gown of Mrs. Cheney's. All this developed in Court on Saturday when Mrs. Cheney accused Lydia and Anna of having stolen and worn and ruined clothes of hers worth \$100. Justice Typer handed over Lydia and Anna to a probation

#### COURT OF APPEALS. Miller vs. Arthur and others, argued

and submitted.

The next cases to be called are: West by, &c., vs. Richmond Railway and Electric Company; Rhule vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway Company; Southern Railway Company vs. Washington Alex-andria and Mount Vernon Railway Company, being Nos, 3, 9 and 12 on the argument docket.

Senator Scott, of West Virginia, has made public an argument against the confirmation of General Leonard Wood. In the document he expresses the belief that President McKinley probably had regretted his appointment of Wood as brigadier general.

A broken rail threw an Erie train bound from Chicago to New York into the Delaware river near Hancock, seriously; no one was killed.

# Fifty-Eighth Congress.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12. SENATE.

Mr. Beveridge presented the commit-tees report on Alaska. A joint resolution was passed, giving the Benjamin Harrison Memorial Association, the privilege of erecting and maintaining, upon the public grounds at Indianapolis. Ind., a memorial of the late President Harrison.

Ex-Senator J. B. Henderson and Alexander Graham Bell, were reappoint-ed regents of the Smithsonian Institu-

Mr. Bacon created a stir by offering a resolution in effect directing that the President be informed that it was the desire of the Senate that a treaty be negotiated between the governments of the United States and Colombia looking to a peaceful settlement of the differences. existing between Colombia and Pauama, and that Colombia be compensated for the loss of territory
Mr. Lodge moved to lay it on the

A heated discussion was concluded by

an agreement that the resolution go over to be printed, but broke out afresh over a resolution introduced by Mr. Daniel calling upon the President to send to the Senate the recent correspondence between the Colombian envoy, General Reyes, and the Secretary of State.

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The Speaker appointed Representatives Hitt, of Illinois; Adams, of Pennsylva-nia, and Dinsmore, of Arkansas, regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

The House then in committee of the

Capt, Richmond P. Hobson has an-

nounced his candi dacy for Congress in Alabams. The Market.

#### Georgetown, Jan. 12.-Wheat 80a88 Dislocated Her Shoulder.

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